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The Examiner has issued a notice of Allowance for Claims 1 through 5 which are reprinted here for the convenience of the Examiner.

## Claims as Allowed

- 1. A mapping catheter for use in mapping cardiac electrical potentials of a patient's heart comprising:
  - a) a set of electrodes;
  - b) first positioning means having a maximum diameter that defines the maximum diameter for said catheter, coupled to said set of electrodes for spacing a portion of said set of electrodes, defined as a first subset of electrodes, apart from and not in contact with a surface of said patient's heart, at least one of said subset of electrodes being located proximate said maximum diameter and at least